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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the outstanding final Office action dated July 13, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following Amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper. Support for the amendments may be found in the specification on page 7, paragraph 14, lines 6-9 and in Figure 2.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are